

# From the Mayor's Desk

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#### RIDGECREST SURVEY

Should Ridgecrest Subdivision residents only allow walking traffic on Halloween night?

Please express your opinion by emailing the City Clerk:

etoncityclerk@windstream.net



# **Mayor's Letter**

Hope everyone has enjoyed their summer. Fall is just around the corner and our next community event is the Pumpkin Festival. We look forward to seeing you there. Hope everyone is pleased with the well renovations. It is finally complete. The well is the beginning of a number of beautification projects we have laid out for the next several months. We will be putting some sidewalks from the well to CCC Camp Road with some street lighting and landscaping. We also have planters that we will begin to place throughout the entire city beginning mid-October. In addition to the planters, we have some rock signs that will be used to announce upcoming events. This looks much better than banners placed everywhere. We are still working with some additional businesses that have expressed their interest in locating in Eton. We will keep you posted on the progress as it develops.

I would also like to thank the folks from Ridgecrest Subdivision that came to our last council meeting to discuss options regarding organizing a Home Owners Association to help police home owners who are not following the covenants of the subdivision. It was good to see people interested in helping protect the community. It was a very productive meeting and it stemmed some great ideas to help address issues. A special thanks again to the group at Ridgecrest Subdivision.

We will be putting our pumpkins back out at the end of the month. We get a lot of good comments from neighboring communities as well as out-of-town folks. Each pumpkin has its very own personality. These were built by students from the Shop Department at Murray County High School and painted by students at North Murray High School Art Department. Thank you for adding smiles to our community.

Once again, I look forward to seeing each and every one of you at the Pumpkin Festival. As always thank you for making our community a wonderful place to live. If you need anything please contact us at City Hall.

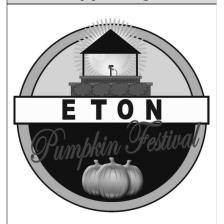
#### **Eton News**

Ridgecrest residents attended the September 2nd Council Meeting and expressed the following concerns: Speed bumps, school crosswalks, children playing in roadways, nuisance lots, street lights, drainage ditches, and extra Halloween patrol. The Mayor and Council addressed each issue.

The Mayor and Council conducted the first reading of an amendment to Eton's Distilled Spirits/Beer/Wine Ordinances prohibiting the practice of "BYOB" in Eton establishments.

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# **Eton Happenings**



September 26-28, 2014 Eton Park

#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRID	AY, SEPTEMBER 26TH						
	FESTIVAL OPENS/VENDORS OPEN	6 PM TO CLOSE	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				
	-KARAOKE	6 PM TO 8 PM	ETON STAGE				
	REMEMBERING JANUARY	8 PM	ETON STAGE				
SATU	RDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH						
	FESTIVAL OPENS/VENDORS OPEN	10 AM TO CLOSE	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				
	·INFLATABLES	10 AM TO CLOSE	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				
	·CARNIVAL RIDE	10 AM TO CLOSE	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				
	·MR. & MISS PUMPKIN FESTIVAL PAGEANTS	11 AM TO 1 PM	ETON STAGE				
	·MURRAY COUNTY CHEERLEADERS	ТВА	ETON STAGE				
	SHOOT ME DOWNERS BAND	3 PM TO 6 PM	ETON STAGE				
	PIONEER CHICK'N STAND BAND	6 PM TO 9 PM	ETON STAGE				
	-PIE EATING CONTEST	3 PM	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				
	·CAKEWALK	4 PM	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				
	FIREWORKS DISPLAY	DARK	ETON PARK				
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH							
	FESTIVAL OPENS/VENDORS OPEN	12 PM TO 5 PM	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				
	SUMMER SHYVONNE	12 PM TO 2 PM	ETON STAGE				
	DOG SHOW	2 PM	ETON STAGE				
	STARE AT THE SON BAND	3 PM TO 5 PM	ETON STAGE				
осто	BER EVENTS						
	HALLOWEEN BLOCK PARTY	4 PM ON OCT. 31ST	FESTIVAL GROUNDS				

# FULL FESTIVAL BROCHURE www.eton-ga.gov





Next Council

Meeting

October 7, 2014

We're on the web! www.eton-ga.gov

### **Eton Department Reports**

POLICE DEPARTMENT MONTH OF AUGUST

**Miles Patrolled** 

4,075

**Number of Calls** 

63

Amount of Fines Collected \$4,649.23

FIRE DEPARTMENT
MONTH OF AUGUST

**Current Volunteers** 

3

**Current Part Time** 

8

**Total Training Hours** 

119

## **Welcome New Business**

